

Smart Antenna Technique For Performance Improvement Of CDMA & MC-CDMA

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Abstract-To improve coverage and performance in the CDMA as well as in MC-CDMA network, the simulation model and an evaluation method for the smart antenna system in the CDMA system is presented. Here the data service users as well as the voice services users are considered. The proposed method that can show the impact of smart antenna system on the E_c/I_o coverage area and radius also presented as function of antenna type and beamwidth. The performance improvements are remarkable in the smart antenna systems. The performance of the system is evaluated in terms of Average E_c/I_o , Area, Radius, E_c/I_o Difference, Throughput with Number of users per sector. Both results are discussed based on various parameters like flat urban type morphology, Okumura Model for omni directional antennas air link, orthogonality factor and antenna beam width.

Index Terms— *Spatial multiplexing, Multipath fading, Adaptive array, Channel estimation, Throughput, Beam width.*

I. INTRODUCTION

The recent 3rd generation mobile radio communication systems are proposed to provide high speed multimedia data services as well as voice services, this motivates to reduce interference from other users to increase capacity of mobile radio communication systems the new technique are also used to increase the radio frequency spectrum. The smart antenna techniques are one of those techniques that can achieve these goals. An application of antenna arrays has been suggested in recent years for mobile communication systems to overcome the problem of limited channel bandwidth, thereby satisfying an ever growing demand for a large number of mobiles on communication

channels. When an array is appropriately used in mobile communications system, it helps in improving the system performance by increasing channel capacity and spectrum efficiency, extending range coverage, tailoring beam shape, steering multiple beams to track many mobiles, and compensating aperture distortion electronically. It also reduces multipath fading, cochannel interferences, system complexity & cost, BER, and outage probability. It has been argued that adaptive antennas and the algorithms to control them are vital to a high-capacity communications system development.

II. SMART ANTENNA SYSTEMS

II a Need for Smart Antennas

Wireless networks face ever-changing demands on their spectrum and infrastructure resources. Increased minutes of use, capacity-intensive data applications and the steady growth of worldwide wireless subscribers mean carriers will have to find effective ways to accommodate increased wireless traffic in their networks. However, deploying new cell site is not the most economical or efficient means of increasing capacity.

Wireless carriers have begun to explore new ways to maximize the spectral efficiency of their networks and improve their return on investment. Smart antennas have emerged as one of the leading innovations for achieving highly efficient networks that maximize capacity and improve quality and coverage.

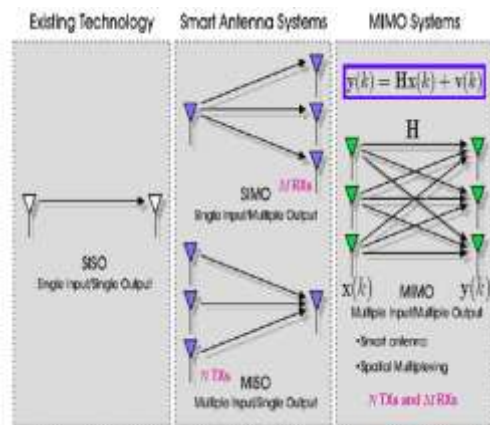


Fig.1 DIFFERENT SYSTEMS FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

Research Area

- To identify the key obstacles to the development of widely deployed smart antenna systems, and understand the breakthroughs needed to overcome these.
- To identify the areas and applications for which smart antennas will most likely be first deployed.
- To analyse the regulatory issues involved in smart antennas to inform our regulatory stance.

Adaptive antenna technology represents the most advanced smart antenna approach to date. Using a variety of new signal-processing algorithms, the adaptive system takes advantage of ability to effectively locate and track various types of signals to dynamically minimize interference and maximize intended signal reception. Both systems attempt to increase gain according to the location of user; however, only the adaptive system provides optimal gain while simultaneously identifying tracking, and minimizing interfering signals.

III. Advantages of Smart Antenna

Smart Antenna technology exploits multiple antennas in transmit and receive with associated coding, modulation and signal processing to enhance the performance of wireless systems in terms of capacity, coverage and throughput. A detailed overview of smart antenna systems for use in cellular networks is available in [2]. The CPE can also use multiple antennas in BWA networks. SA techniques can therefore be used for downlink and uplink both

at the BTS and CPE. SA leverages (on transmit and receive) include:

- **Array Gain:** Multiple antennas coherently combine the signal energy improving the carrier-to-noise ratio (C/N). Available both on transmit and receive.
- **Diversity Gain:** Spatial diversity obtained from multiple antennas helps combat channel fading. Available on transmit and receive.
- **Interference Suppression Gain:** Multiple antennas can be adaptively combined to selectively cancel or avoid interference and pass the desired signal. Available on transmit and receive.
- **Spatial Multiplexing:** Spatial multiplexing uses multiple antennas at both ends to create multiple channels and improves spectrum efficiency (bps/Hz).

IV. PROJECT FLOW IN WORDS & CHART

- The static simulator developed in this study uses a digitized geographic map as input data. Wave propagation models calculate the path losses by using this map. It is assumed that the whole system area is flat and has an urban type morphology. Here, the one-tier seven macro cell sites configuration is considered to evaluate the performance of the system. Each macro cell site consists of three
- Central cell BS. In this configuration, the other cells around the BS have interference affects on the center cell BS. The distance between each base station is 3.8km and the total transmit 14 power of the i th base station P_{itx} comes to 41.3dBm

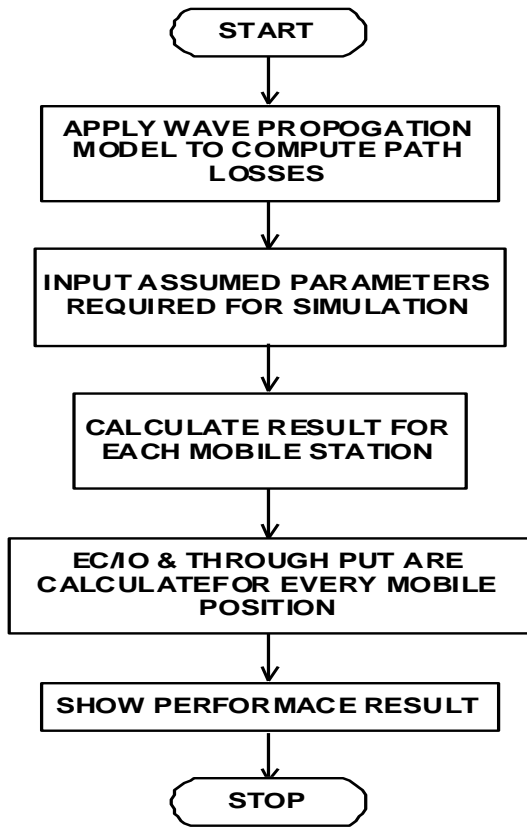


Figure 2 project flow

PARAMETER	VALUE
Morphology	urban
Transmit power at BS	41.3 Db-m
Voice activity	40%
Data activity	100%
Orthogonality	40%
Max. power at MS	23 dB-m
Channel bandwidth	1.2288 MHz

Table 6.1 Parameters used in simulation

The user distribution is assumed to be uniform within the entire simulation area. The voice and data activities are assumed to be 0.4 and 1, respectively, on the forward lin. It is assumed that the orthogonality factor ais 0.4 and one SCH is used for data service users.it is assumed that the data rate Rdata requested by a user is 153.6

kbps in this simulation. It is assumed that all users in the system area request the same data rate. Data throughput in this simulation does not include the effects of scheduling. The analysis radius of each base station is set as 7km so that a base station can be affected by the interference from neighbouring cells 10,16. All the results for each mobile position are calculated in in its cell area. A mobile position is a bin in the shape of a square and these bins are constructed in the form of a grid covering the entire simulation area. Ec/Io and the throughput are calculated for every bin

- Path loss in the lognormal fading is 10dB, which is a typical value for outdoor channel. The link budget shown in table ,only 2.5% of the total transmitted power of 30W is allocated to the desired user traffic channel. To shorten the simulation time, a simplified simulation model is used in the simulation. The number of multipath signals was limited to two in the channel model.

CHANNEL	POWER
Pilot	5.99
Paging	1.89
Sync	0.75
User traffic	0.74
Power control	0.13
Other users	20.50
Total	30.00

Table 6.2 Link budget

For simplicity, two multi path signals were assumed to have, on average, the same level of the received signal power. One multipath signal is effectively an interference signal to the other multipath signal.

V.SIMULATION RESULTS

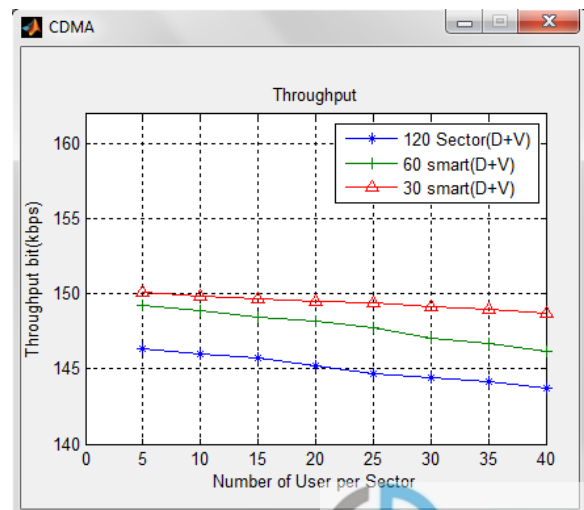


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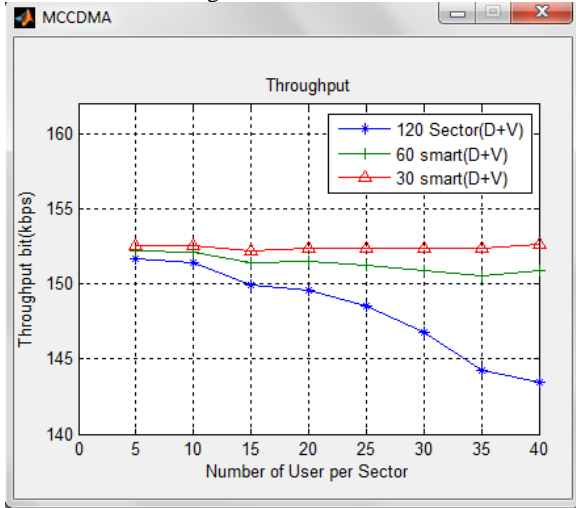


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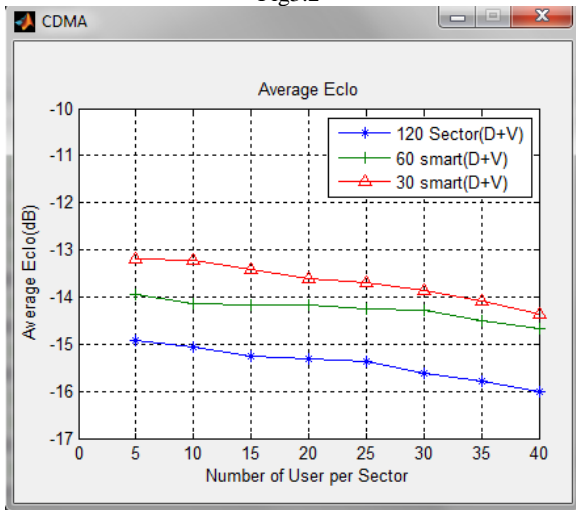


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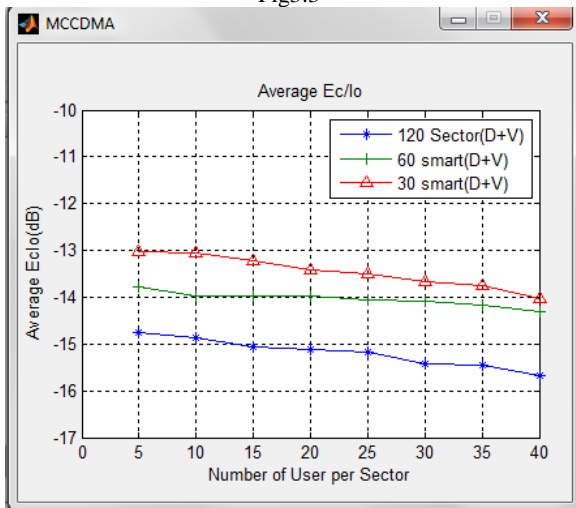


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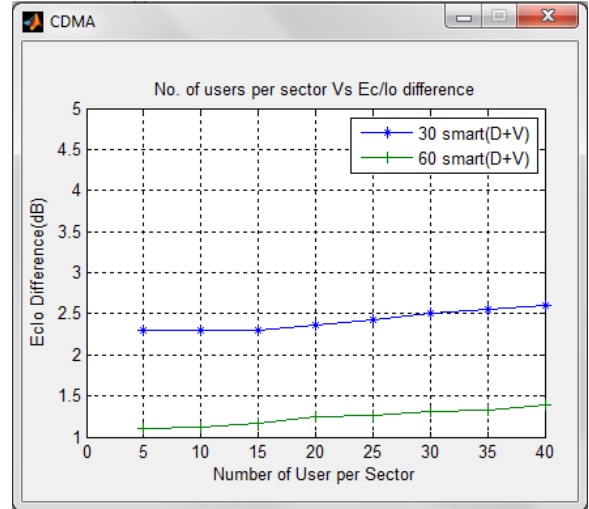


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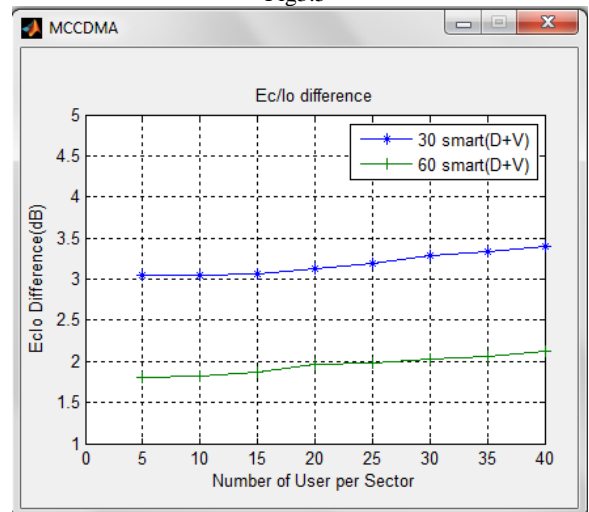


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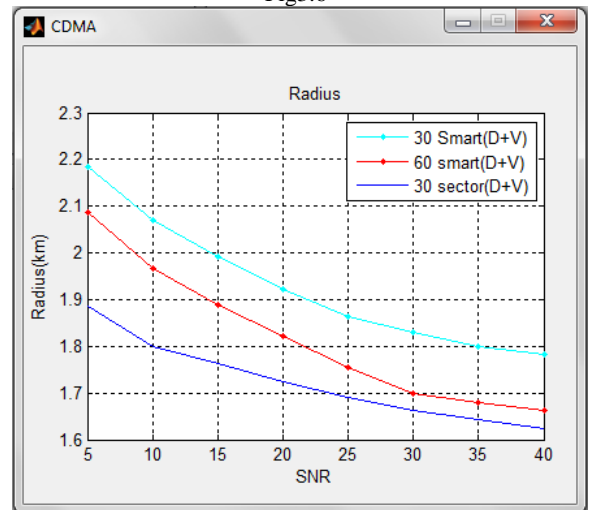


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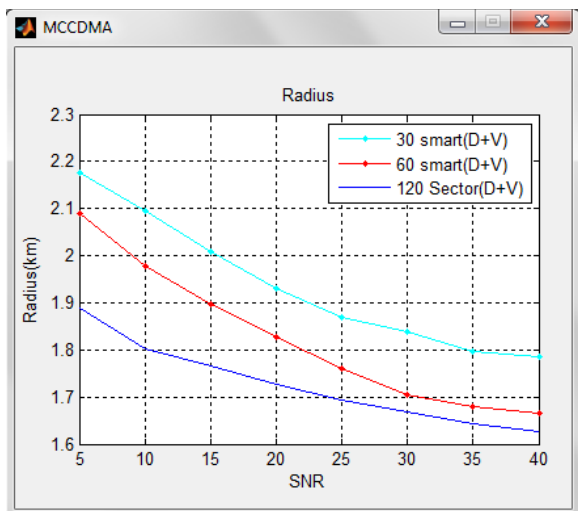


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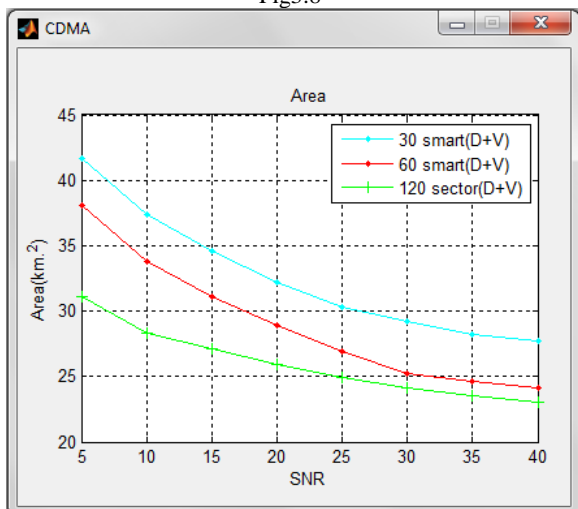


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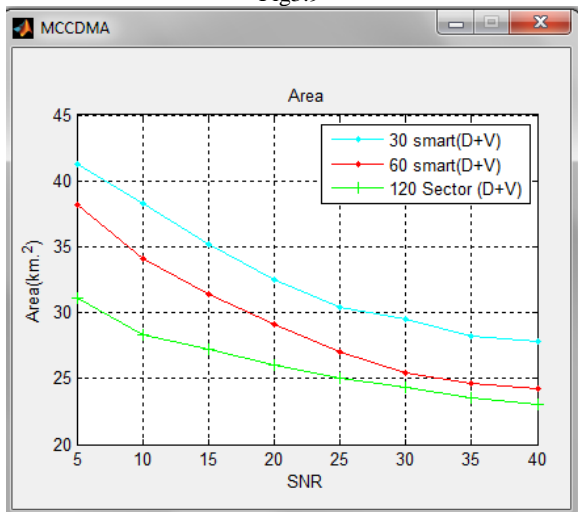


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CONCLUSION

It is seen that using smart antenna technique performance is improved and it can be used practically.

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